

Moran Sponsors Resolution Honoring University of Kansas Basketball Team

LAWRENCE - Congressman Jerry Moran this week sponsored legislation honoring the University of Kansas basketball team for winning the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) basketball championship against Memphis in San Antonio, Texas on Monday.

"University of Kansas athletes, coaches, students, alumni, faculty and fans have much to be proud of this year," Moran said. "Not only did the Jayhawks capture a school record 37 wins this season, they have now have been crowned national champions. I congratulate Coach Bill Self and the Jayhawks on this impressive accomplishment."

The resolution was sponsored by the Kansas delegation and congratulates and commends the KU basketball team for winning the 2008 National Championship. The championship is the school's fifth national title and its first in twenty years. Kansas guard Mario Chalmers was chosen Most Outstanding Player of the Final Four and was named to the NCAA Final Four All-Tournament Team, along with guard Brandon Rush and forward Darrell Arthur. This is Coach Self's first title.

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